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RESPONSE TO A RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Dear Sir:

Responsive to the Restriction Requirement mailed January 29, 2003, in the above-identified patent application, please consider the remarks made below. A petition for a one-month extension of time with the requisite fee is attached hereto.

Please note that the Attorney Docket Number has changed to 112959.132.

REMARKS

Claims 1-35, 60-62, 70-78, 82 and 83 are pending in the present application; claims 20-29 are withdrawn from consideration. No additional fees are believed due; however, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 08-0219.